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Dear General:

Thank you very much for your letter of 17 April announcing the forwarding of the volumes of the General Intelligence Series for our files. It will be a great pleasure to have them because knowing of the work that has been done, I know that these files will prove most useful to us.

The people who have been out visiting you have not yet returned but from the first reports, everything seems to be very satisfactory and I should like to give you, who I know has been principally responsible for their reception and for whatever agreement was reached, my very sincere thanks.

I shall write you more fully about that matter when the party returns to Washington.

As always, please believe me, with very best wishes,

Most sincerely,

14 / R. H. Hillenkoetter

Rear Admiral, USN

Director of Central Intelligence

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*My dear Admiral*

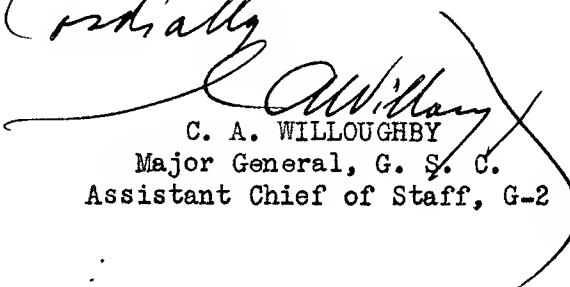
In view of the close relationship between this Section and CIA, I am forwarding you this date under separate cover one copy each of the current volumes (8) of the General Intelligence Series, covering Intelligence Operations in the SWPA during World War II and the Occupation of Japan, through 1949. Yet to be completed are Volume III, "Operations of the Military Intelligence Section, GHQ, SWPA and FEC/SCAP," and Volume X, "Operations of Civil Censorship." The following is a table of the production statistics of the General Intelligence Series.

VOLUME	Text		Doc Appendices		No. of Books	Total Pp/Plates
	Pages	Plates	Pages	Plates		
Brief Hist	152	67	---	---	1	219
I Phil Guerrilla	104	15	281	50	2	450
II Phil Intel	102	39	272	28	2	441
III Intel Sect	441	94	450	150	4	1135
IV AIB	283	34	476	42	3	835
V ATIS	160	44	376	255	2	835
VI AGS	130	36	686	271	3	1123
VII TID	141	9	82	4	1	236
VIII CIC	206	45	259	8	2	518
IX CIS	254	123	607	185	4	1169
X CCD	105	70	275	---	2	450
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Preparation of these volumes entailed an enormous amount of work and expense. However, I feel that this series will clarify the intelligence effort during the Pacific operations and Japan Occupation and will also be of value as a background of historical examples of intelligence operations under combat conditions. The text explains largely our position on various pending questions.

I am sure that the inscribed copies will serve as interesting momentos and be useful additions to the reference library of your organization.

*Cordially*  
  
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